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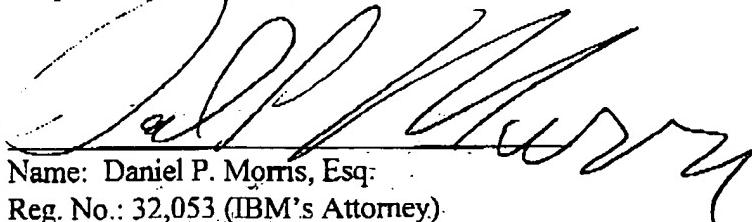
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Our residences, post office addresses and citizenships are as stated below next to our respective names.

We believe we are the original and first joint inventors of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

INTERPOSER WITH ELECTRICAL CONTACT BUTTON AND METHOD

the specification of which

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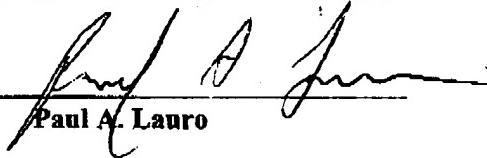
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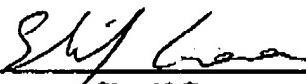


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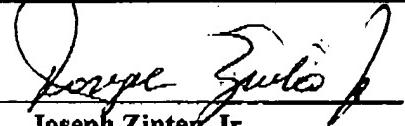


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